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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Any erroneous reflection upon the reputation or standing of any individual, firm, or corporation that may appear in the columns of The Jayton Chronicle, will be gladly corrected when called to our attention.

BOYCE HOUSE



Courage of the highest order was manifested on the Texas frontier by Judge W. C. Linden, venerable attorney, now living in San Antonio. The Bar of the Hill Country has paid him a great tribute (quoted in part).

"First becoming county attorney of Llano County, he was soon elected district attorney. The noted San Saba Mob organization was at the height of its power. Its influence was formidable indeed; its members and sympathizers, extensive. Many were falling victims to its lawlessness and violence. Night-time homicides were common. Intimidations, extortions and kindred crimes were rampant. Young Linden (this was in the 1890's), with characteristic zeal and energy and in utter defiance of danger, entered into the prosecution of these gentry. If he ever felt the sensation of fear, it was never manifest.

"Many instances of his prosecutions and convictions of these criminals are yet recalled and re-told by old-timers. One instance is where a known sympathizer of the mob was being prosecuted and its various members had assembled in the courtroom to overawe court and jury. Linden, asking indulgence of the court, in his argument to the jury, called the names, pointed out one by one, these mobsters, relating to the jury their respective connections with the mob and its sundry murders and the evidence he had against them, and concluded by plainly telling the jury that, while his evidence against this accused was ample to warrant conviction, he apprehended that these evil influences about might restrain a jury from doing its duty.

"Concluding his address, he left the courtroom for his hotel. Encountering on the nearby corner, a collection of these mobsters awaiting him, he deliberately drew his pistol, calmly remarking that he was there

to do his duty and no influence could deter him; that they might 'get' him but they knew he would get some of them first, and telling them to have the man posted a short way down the street with his gun to put it away, he passed them and walked deliberately to his hotel where, in a short time, came the message that the jury, to the surprise of all, had convicted the accused.

The influence of the able and fearless Linden, as district attorney, accomplished more than all other agencies toward the breaking up of the notorious San Saba Mob, a service within itself never to be forgotten in the annals of the Hill Country administration of justice."

THANK YOU FOLKS

We wish to thank all you folks that helped in any way to fight the fire and save our property. We especially want to thank the members of the Fire Departments of both Jayton and Spur for your wonderful work.

We also want to assure you that in spite of our loss we are still doing business as usual and can supply you with your fuel needs.

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Dr.outh Part Of Climatic Cycle

The recent drought was part of a climatic cycle which can be expected to recur about every 11 or 12 years, says a University of Texas archaeologist who is interested in the relation between climatic change and human history in North America.

Alex D. Krieger, participant in a program on weather cycles at the recent Plains Archaeological conference in Lincoln, Neb., says droughts have recurred repeatedly for many centuries in the Great Plains states, and this information should be a sign post to farmers to anticipate these changes in their crop planning.

He points to modern drought periods in 1934-36, 1923-24, 1910-12, 1899-1900, and the 1880's as examples of climatic cycles which have had profound effect on America's economy.

Establishment of the exact dates on climatic periods in North America during the past 25,000 years is one of the problems facing climatologists.

The archaeologists can date his finds through geological and other means, thus helping the climatologists to determine the date of climatic periods which changed life on this continent during the past 25,000 years, Krieger says.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox Urges Cooperation

Commenting on the necessity for individual cooperation in effecting the control of mumps, now widespread throughout the State, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, emphasizes the fact that the contagion factor is present before any symptoms appear, and strict isolation of all patients is the surest means of controlling the spread of this disease.

Mumps is transmitted by direct contact with an infected person or articles freshly contaminated by the secretions of the mouth or nose of persons having the disease. It takes from 12 to 26 days for mumps to manifest itself after the infection occurs. The disease can be easily transmitted, but one attack usually establishes permanent immunity and second attacks very rarely occur.

The most easily recognizable characteristic symptom of mumps is a painful swelling of the salivary glands. Sometimes there is an involvement of other portions of the body, causing disturbances in the digestive, nervous, circulatory and genito-urinary systems. The disease is usually accompanied by a temperature rise which more often than not is mild.

"Patients suffering from this disease should be isolated from other members of the family immediately upon suspicion that mumps exist, and the family physician should be called in promptly," Dr. Cox said. "In the meantime, complete rest in bed is indicated. The doctor's orders should be followed strictly. Violating his instructions can lead to serious injury, which may permanently affect the patient's health."

Mrs. Rollie Beaver and daughter, Nancy Jo of Girard, Texas, were shopping in Jayton Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Meador of Jayton and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rose of Afton, Texas attended the funeral of a friend in Eastland last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Gardner attended the funeral of her nephew, Carrol Gregory at Aspermont last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kenady and son and Mrs. Tennie Wilson of Aspermont visited Mrs. C. S. Kenady in Jayton last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leech visited her parents in Albany, Texas last week end.

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C. R. Kelley 3-1tc

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Kent County, Texas, will, on the 14th day of February, A. D. 1949, at the February Term, A. D. 1949, of said Commissioners Court, enter into a contract with any banking corporation, association or individual banker, authorized by law, for the depositing of the public funds of said County in such a bank or banks, together with the public school funds of said County and trust funds in the hands of the District and County Clerk of Kent County, Texas. Any person interested, please contact me at the Court House of Kent County, in Clairemont, Texas.

E. V. PEEK

County Judge, Kent County, Texas



WITH THE CHURCHES

The Methodist Church

Program for Sunday January 23.
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Services 11.00 a. m.
Sermon, "Our Report Card".
Young People and Juniors, 6:45 p. m.
Sunday Night Services 7:00 p. m.
Sermon, "A Voice out of the Past".
Our Third Quarterly Conference will be held January 30th. Rev. Crawford will preach at the 11 o'clock service. A covered dish lunch will be served in the basement after the service.
Notice! Annual Conference—May 25-29.

The sermon Sunday morning deals with you and me, as individuals. The Sunday night sermon deals with the make up of the church. The messages "Our Report Card" and "A Voice out of the Past" your pastor at the Methodist Church wants you to hear, so whoever you are, you are always welcome at the Methodist Church.

The Intermediate and Young Peoples Class will meet with Mrs. Black as the Young Peoples Class from now on.

In our Church School visitation here are a few suggestions:

1. Inform Yourself.
You are a personal representative of the Church School. What does the Church School have to offer the families you will visit?
2. Be Optimistic.
Visit the homes with the conviction that what you have to tell them is the greatest thing in the world. Back of it all is getting the teachings of Christ to the people.
3. Do not Apologize.
The Church does not claim to be composed of perfect people. We are only striving toward perfection. We visit because we are convinced of its importance in our community.
4. Go Prepared.
Stress the need of Christian education in our modern world. Always carry a supply of leaflets, your Bible and Church School literature, a copy of the "Upper Room", and be sure that they understand everything that you say.
5. Work Hard.
This is a divine undertaking. Give it the best that you have.
6. Pray.
For Yourself and others.

A group will be organized by your pastor, called the "49". This means that you must attend Church and Sunday School every Sunday during 1949. When you miss four Sundays in a row you drop out. Make your New Year's resolution to that effect.
L. B. Taylor, Pastor

First Baptist Church

We had a good attendance Sunday morning and Sunday night in spite of the cold and windy day.

We should thank the Lord for the wonderful rain and snow He has given us the last two weeks. Sometimes we think the Lord has forsaken us but He always knows best. He often punishes us for not doing what He has asked us to do. If the people would attend Church and live for God every day He would shower His children with blessings. The Lord has already given us more than we can ever repay Him for, it is our turn to show our love for Him. By doing so, we will be happier and our homes will be more pleasant. We should always remember the Sabbath, to keep it holy.

Show your love to God by attending Church somewhere Sunday. You are always welcome at the Baptist Church.

C. C. Beaty, Pastor.
Marie Smith, Church Reporter.

First Baptist Church GIRARD, TEXAS

The weather was very unfavorable for services, however the services were good and well attended. There was 63 for Sunday school and quite a few more for the preaching hour. Our offering was \$168.00, which was greatly appreciated by all of the Church. Our 11 o'clock service was very fine, and at three o'clock we had an extra large crowd for the ordaining of four Deacons.

Our Brotherhood will meet in the first regular meeting Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Every male member, regardless of age, and every man in reach of Girard has an invitation to be there. Come and enjoy the fellowship and help plan for our New Year's work, and enjoy the barbecue dinner.

Baptist Reporter,
M. A. Darden

FARM QUESTION BOX

by
ED W. MITCHELL
Farm Advisor
General Electric Station WG7



- Q. For ten years we have used granulated superphosphate on the floor in our cow stable. The floor now has a layer of the stuff two inches thick and hard as concrete. How can it be removed? A scraper won't touch it. We tried chopping it off, but this leaves a rough partially cleaned floor.
- A. Try a small patch and see if a diluted solution of sulfuric acid will soften it enough to come off with a scraper.
- Q. Please send directions for preparing tails of fur bearing animals so the hair will not drop out.
- A. That depends partly on whether the fur is "prime" and holding well or not. The bone should be carefully skinned out and the skin thoroughly salted same as the rest of the pelt.
- Q. Can you tell me how to develop a hillside flower garden? Have tried all summer to get some blooms on a bank, half of which is very shady and is very steep. This bank used to be an ash dump and I have three inches of mushroom dirt on top of the ashes.
- A. I would suggest perennials—and mulch them well to prevent erosion. Try shrub, spirea, forsythia and syringa, with Iris and Phlox. Another method is to plant the whole bank in rambling roses.
- Q. Our farm has grown up to red cedars, spoiling all the pasture land. What can I do about it? I'm told there isn't money enough in them for posts. Are they ever used in landscaping?
- A. No—not for landscaping except, occasionally, in a cemetery. It takes them a long time to get to post size. I think I would spray them with 3-4-D next spring, along with other brush; let them stand and die, or use sodium chlorate and burn them and reseed the pasture.
- Q. Can you tell me construction details and operation of an electrically heated (soil cable) hot-bed?
- A. It is really quite simple; dig a hole two feet deep and six feet square to accommodate two standard three by six inch. Set two-inch plank around the sides and with about a four inch pitch toward the south. Line bottom with cinders or crushed stone and coarse sand for drainage, and around the sides with cinders for insulation. Lay 40 feet of cable evenly over the bottom, cover with three to four inches of sand and soil and install the thermostat and set at the desired temperature and you are all set to go.
- Q. How can I keep moss from growing in the yard, around the house?
- A. Fertilize and reseed; moss indicates land is too poor to grow grass.
- Q. We have a hard maple tree about fifteen years old. Last year it didn't drop seeds at all and the foliage this spring is very sparse; the twigs that still hold the stems of the seeds have no buds at all. What is the cause of this—lack of moisture in the ground during the winter, or is something wrong with the tree? Is there anything I can do to save it?
- A. Either drought, cold or disease has killed the tree and there is probably no way you could have prevented it and no way you can help it. Sorry, but such is life—especially for trees.

Uncle Sam Says



Some of my nephews and nieces want to save regularly and actually do it. Others mean to save but don't always get around to it. These latter are the ones who only think about a budget. The best way to save is to do it on a regular basis, every payday. And the best investment is U. S. Savings Bonds.

If you're on a payroll, enroll for the Payroll Savings Plan where you work, or, if self-employed, sign up for the Bond-a-Month Plan at your bank. Either way, you're building future security in the soundest way possible. And your money increases, four dollars for three in 10 years' time.

U. S. Treasury Department

NOTICE FARMERS.

Anyone Wanting Terraces?

Run your lines, plow with the lines and then we will build the terraces before planting time.

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Jayton, Texas

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Saving Soil Also Saves Business

Judging from the number of farms in the 1948 Agricultural Conservation Program and the indicated intentions of farmers this year it will be safe to say that at least 67 percent of the farms in Kent County will have planned and approved conservation practices carried out on them in 1949.

And this, according to Wayne Williams, Chairman of the Kent County Agricultural Conservation Committee, means security and stability for the farmers, who in turn provide security for the cities and towns. Every acre improved by conservation practices, he points out, spells security for the banker, merchant and the car dealer in town.

The Agricultural Conservation Program is aimed at continued abundant production, not the "mining" of the soil now and moving on later, the chairman explains. "Ghost" farms mean "ghost" towns a short time later. Schools, churches, libraries and business as well as the farms depend on fertile soil.

With a large percent of the farms and cropland in the county in the conservation program, the business men in town can rest a little easier. This means, says the chairman, that the farmers in Kent County are building for the future as well as producing for the present. The conservation practices which farmers are carrying out with the help of the program are helping to keep the topsoil from blowing or washing away—and keeping the soil productive.

The Department of Agriculture recently announced that the cotton export program is being continued. The current export subsidy rate of 10 cents per bale will remain in effect. Cotton registered for sale under the program must be shipped prior to January 1, 1950.

The All-Plastic Kitchen



FROM floor to ceiling this most modern of kitchens employs Bakelite plastics in many forms. Polyethylene plates, cups and bowls line the gleaming styrene plastic-tiled walls, while non-glaring lights shine through the plastic fixtures in the plastic-tiled ceiling. Easy to clean Vinylite plastic upholstery material covers the chairs. The newest thing under foot is the marbled dark green Vinylite plastic floor covering. It is nonporous, and therefore does not absorb dirt and is highly resistant to acids and the alkalis found in cleaning agents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Patton and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Earnest and children of Lubbock, Texas visited friends and relatives in Jayton last week end.

Dr. S. L. Gilbert from St. Louis, Mo. and Mrs. H. V. Vittitow of Rottan, Texas were guests in the home of Mrs. J. H. Montgomery, Monday of this week.

Veterans' News

Veterans holding National Service Life Insurance policies are urged by the Veterans' Administration to review their GI insurance for possible changes of beneficiaries.

Thousands of veteran policy holders have not changed their beneficiaries, although their family status has changed, VA said.

Changes may be made at any time, and as often as necessary, simply by notifying VA's Insurance Service in the Branch Office, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas.

A veteran has the right to designate any person, company, corporation or other legal entity as his beneficiary.

Veterans enrolled in schools and colleges under the GI Bill must comply with the regularly prescribed standards and practices of the educational institutions during their period of enrollment, VA reports.

Student-veterans must abide by all the rules and regulations of the institution where they are enrolled. They must maintain satisfactory academic marks. Wilful misconduct or unsatisfactory progress are grounds for withdrawal of subsistence and tuition payments.

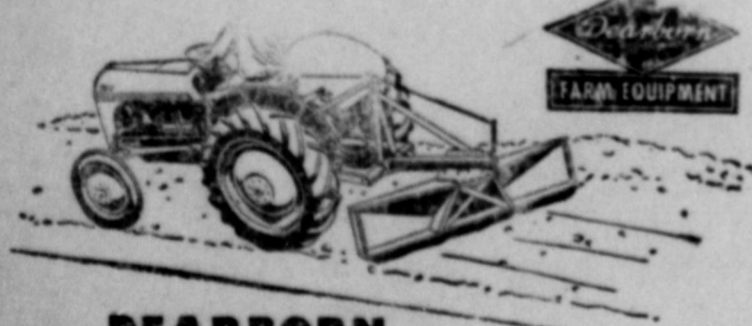
COTTON QUIZ



Mrs. J. R. Teaver of Plainview, Texas is visiting her mother Mrs. C. S. Kenady this week.

Mrs. W. J. Lane received injuries, when she fell on the ice at her home last Wednesday. She is recuperating in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Bilberry, at Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Mayer and son spent last Sunday in Spur with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Hill and husband.



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JAYTON, TEXAS

Mrs. Lena Vickers has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jack Hunter, at Electra, Texas.

Mrs. H. J. Whatley and her mother, Mrs. G. W. Morgan had business in Lubbock Wednesday.

Health Report For Past Year

Every citizen of Texas should be greatly interested in the over-all health picture in the State as indicated by the morbidity report just released by Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, showing the year's totals on communicable diseases.

Comparing the 1948 figures with the totals of 1947, a great reduction is shown in some of the major health hazards. For instance, in 1947 there were 1,125 cases of diphtheria, while in 1948 the total had dropped to 924. This was 924 cases too many, since none of them needed have occurred if the persons had been immunized. This same statement applies to smallpox, in which the total dropped from 15 cases to 4. Vaccination would have prevented the incidence of even one case of smallpox. Typhoid fever remained at a comparative standstill, with 317 cases being reported in 1947 and 318 in the past year. These typhoid cases could also have been prevented by immunization.

The results of malaria and typhus control work throughout the State is reflected in the total number of cases for 1947 and 1948. Malaria dropped from 4,729 to 3,577, and typhus was cut nearly in half with the total falling from 610 to 344.

Dysentery continues to be a serious problem in public health in Texas. The incidence of this disease jumped from 15,863 in 1947 to 20,920 during the past year. Influenza dropped off from 116,564 to 76,823, and mumps was reduced by nearly half, from 17,202 in 1947 to 9,898 in the past year.

Dr. Cox emphasized that while there are many diseases like poliomyelitis against which there is no specific protection, it is a tragic mistake for any person to be allowed to have diphtheria, smallpox or typhoid fever, when he can be completely protected through the simple means of immunization.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harris and Wanda Gene of Plainview are visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Whatley this week.

FOR SALE:—
My stock in the Farmers Co-operative Society No. 1 Gin at Jayton.
J. A. Lafoon, Jayton, Texas 3-117

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR TOM RAY HUNNICUTT

Funeral services were held Jan. 14 at 2:30 p. m. at the Baptist Church, Girard for Pvt. Tom Ray Hunnicutt.

Rev. S. D. Smith of Aspermont, officiated assisted by Rev. Lee Hollis.

Pall bearers were Joe B. Guthery, Archie Mayfield, Udell Cooper and R. Z. Chisum of Girard, John M. Johnson, Jayton and Euel Harrison, Clairemont.

Honorary pall bearers were Billy Bolch and Claude E. Helwig of Lubbock, Jake Varnell, Dickens and Warren Fincher and Jake Swearingen of Girard.

Reburial was in the Girard Cemetery. Members of the Whatley-Hancock Post of the American Legion were in charge of the Military Rites.

Chandler Funeral Home of Spur was in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Tom Ray was born July 14th, 1924 at Girard, entered the Army at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, May 29, 1944. He trained as a rifleman in the infantry at Camp Fannin, Texas. He went overseas in November and was killed in action December 11, 1944.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hunnicutt of Girard, one sister, Carolyn of Girard; six brothers; Garlon of Chicago, Ill.; Joe H. of Dumas, Texas; Jack and Dink of Lubbock and Dale and Charles of Girard.

All, with the exception of Garlon, were present for the services.

Other relatives and friends attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Olan Wilson, Cross Plains; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Dye and Paula, Amarillo; Bill Davis Wanda Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Arms and Jewel, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Johnston, Jimmy Lee Bolch, John McGee and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Arms of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gallagher, Pampa; Mrs. T. S. Havins, Glenn; Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Monk, Seagraves; Mr. and Mrs. De Loyd Barton, Noble, Oklahoma; and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Cooper and other friends of Aspermont.

CARD OF THANKS

We acknowledge with deep appreciation the many words of sympathy, the flowers, the good food that was brought in and served at the time of the returning home and reburial of our loved one. Especially do we thank those who tended the grave; and for the many other services rendered.

Your kind deeds and words told us and the world you have not forgotten the supreme sacrifice made by many of our loved ones not so long ago.

The Family of Pvt. Tom Ray Hunnicutt



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BOY! . . . Old Mother Nature certainly gave men a terrific beating. The ice storm broke stout wires as though they were strings and snapped sturdy poles as easily as match sticks. We had built strongly, but the excessive weight of ice was too much for even the best constructed lines.

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Those linemen are great fellows. They don't like these storms any more than you do—but when needed, they pitch in and work day and night to get your service going again.

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- Waffle Flour, White Swan 1 1-4 lb. 13c
- Green Beans, can 10c
- Salad Dressing, Best Yett, 1-2 pt. 19c
- I uree, Apricot, 1 gal. 98c
- Coffee, Star State, 1 lb. pkg. 29c
- Spinach, Red and White, No. 3 can 19c
- Kitchen Kleanser, can 5c

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GIRARD BAPTIST MEET IN CALLED CONFERENCE

The Girard Baptist Church met in a called conference Sunday, January 16, 1949 at 3 p. m. for the purpose of ordaining four Deacons. The Deacons ordained were: W. T. Hunnicutt, Glenn Spradling, B. H. King and T. B. Page. Members of the Presbytery attending the services were: Rev. Lee Hollis, pastor of the Girard Baptist Church, Rev. W. M. Smith local member, and Deacons of the Girard Baptist Church, W. F. Neaves, C. V. Darden and M. A. Darden. Rev. W. T. North and Deacons John McNitt and Eugene McDowell of the Peacock Baptist Church, Deacons J. M. Johnston and Travis Smith of the Jayton Baptist Church, and Rev. Henry Littleton, District Missionary 17th District, Leuders, Texas.

After opening the meeting with a prayer by Rev. Littleton, the Presbytery elected Rev. Lee Hollis moderator and M. A. Darden clerk for the Presbytery. Returning to the auditorium the church was called to order by the Moderator and the congregation, led by Pauline Long, joined in singing "On Jordan Stormy Banks". Winnie Smith furnished the piano accompaniment. Following a prayer led by Rev. W. M. Smith, the candidates were presented to the Presbytery by M. A. Darden. Rev. Lee Hollis questioned the candidates regarding their salvation and the fundamentals of God's Word. The answers being favorable, the Church authorized the Presbytery to go ahead with the laying on of hands. Rev. Henry Littleton gave the charge to the newly ordained Deacons and Rev. North gave the charge and a fine message to the Church and Deacons. The services

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In the post-war repatriation of exiled Korean civilians and Japanese troops to their homelands, U. S. Navy LST's made seven trips to accomplish that mission of mercy. Photo shows crew members of USS LST 1069 watching Korean civilians as they prepare to board the vessel prior to the last trip. (Official Navy Photograph)

were closed with the song "Let Him Have His Way With Thee" and the giving to the new Deacons and their wives the hand of fellowship. M. A. Darden gave the closing prayer.

DON'T WAIT TOO LONG DO YOUR LANDSCAPING NOW

Don't wait too long. That's the advice from Sadie Hatfield, extension landscape gardening specialist of Texas A. and M. College, for those who plan to set out new trees or shrubs around the yard this year. This is the time of the year to do that kind of landscaping job, so better begin working on it now. Before you know it, the sap will begin rising and buds will begin swelling after a spell of mild weather. And once the trees have their leaves, your good plans may have to wait another year. Trees that are set out late don't stand as much drought as those set early. Planting new shrubs or trees, or transplanting old shrubs, is best done right after a rain, says Miss Hatfield, and your plants in their new places should be well established before the leaves unfold. The leaves use up much of the plant's vitality.

When you put trees out, it's best to ball and burlap them to keep the roots from drying out. For the planting a spade or a long handled shovel can be used for digging the hole. Make it deep enough so that the trees will not be more than an inch deeper in the ground than they were in the nursery or the woods. Planting too deep injures or kills the shrubs. Be sure the hole you dig is large enough to hold the plant's roots without crowding them in, or curling them up toward the surface. After you've set the tree, pack moist topsoil firmly around the roots. A good watering will help settle the earth, and get the tree off to a good start. Planting right after a rain is good management, reminds Miss Hatfield. And when you have the time and good weather, remember that winter is the best time for pruning shrubs, particularly the evergreens, shade trees and the shrubs that bloom in late summer. Now is the time, don't wait too long.

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